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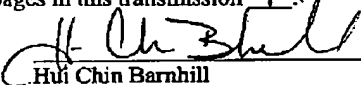
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Dear Sirs:

This is to notify you that, after the filing of this application, the Assignee's status changed from small entity to large entity. It is Applicant's understanding that this entity status change will have no impact on governmental fees, until the application is allowed. At that time, Applicant will be required to submit the issue fee based on its large entity status.

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